CLAIMS

1. An absorbent article in which an absorbent body intervenes between a liquid permeable front sheet and a back sheet, and a middle-height portion is provided by thickening a front surface of an approximately center area of the absorbent body with respect to a standard portion absorbent body, characterized in that

leakage preventing grooves which extend to a longitudinal direction of the absorbent article are provided on both sides which sandwich a body fluid discharge portion area in the area of the middle-height portion, respectively.

- 2. The absorbent article according to claim 1, wherein the leakage preventing grooves are deeper than a thickness of the middle-height portion and reach the standard portion absorbent body.
- 3. The absorbent article according to any one of claims 1 and 2, wherein a thinned portion obtained by thinning the middle-height portion by press is formed on outsides of the leakage preventing grooves.
- 4. The absorbent article according to any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein the middle-height portion is formed between front and rear folding line positions for folding the absorbent article in three at the time of individual packaging.
- 5. The absorbent article according to any one of claims 1 to 4, wherein a thickness of the standard portion absorbent body is 1 to 3 mm.